

**Message to the Congress
Transmitting the Report of the
Railroad Retirement Board**

September 27, 1996

To the Congress of the United States:

I transmit herewith the Annual Report of the Railroad Retirement Board for Fiscal Year 1995, pursuant to the provisions of section 7(b)(6) of the Railroad Retirement Act and section 12(1) of the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act.

William J. Clinton

The White House,
September 27, 1996.

**Message to the Congress
Transmitting the Report of the
Federal Labor Relations Authority**

September 27, 1996

To the Congress of the United States:

In accordance with section 701 of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-454; 5 U.S.C. 7104(e)), I have the pleasure of transmitting to you the Seventeenth Annual Report of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for Fiscal Year 1995.

The report includes information on the cases heard and decisions rendered by the Federal Labor Relations Authority, the General Counsel of the Authority, and the Federal Service Impasses Panel.

William J. Clinton

The White House,
September 27, 1996.

**Digest of Other
White House Announcements**

The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

September 21

In the evening, the President attended Democratic National Committee dinners at

the Hay Adams Hotel and the Sheraton Carlton Hotel.

September 24

In the morning, the President traveled to New York City, NY. Later, he met separately with U.N. Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali and President of the U.N. General Assembly Razali bin Ismail in Room GA-200 of the United Nations.

In the afternoon, the President met separately with Saudi Arabian Foreign Minister Saud al-Faysal, and Russian Foreign Minister Yevgeniy Primakov in the 12th floor Conference Room of the United Nations. Later, he traveled to Freehold Borough, NJ. In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President named the following individuals as recipients of the first Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring: Martha G. Absher, Howard G. Adams, Diola Bagayoko, Joaquin Bustoz, Carlos G. Gutierrez, Janet S. Herman, Susan J.S. Lasser, Melvin B. Robin, Walter S. Smith, and Richard A. Tapia.

The President named the following institutions as recipients of the first Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring: Columbia University Double Discovery Center, Dartmouth College Women in Science Project, National Action Council for Minorities in Engineering, Inc., New Mexico MESA, Inc., Oregon Graduate Institute of Science & Technology Saturday Academy Program, and University of Maryland Baltimore County.

September 25

In the morning, the President traveled to Pittsburgh, PA. In the afternoon, he traveled to Philadelphia, PA.

In the evening, the President attended a Democratic National Committee dinner at the Locust Club in Philadelphia, PA. Later, he returned to Washington, DC.

September 26

In the evening, the President attended a Democratic National Committee African American Leadership Council dinner in the

Crystal Ballroom of the Sheraton Carlton Hotel.

The President announced the nomination of Kelly D. Johnston to the Federal Election Commission.

September 27

In the morning, the President traveled to Longview and Fort Worth, TX. In the afternoon, he traveled to Houston, TX.

In the evening, the President attended a Democratic National Committee reception at a private residence in Houston, TX.

The President announced his intention to appoint Dr. Robert Schrieffer to the President's Committee on the National Medal of Science.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted September 25

Kelly D. Johnston, of Oklahoma, to be a member of the Federal Election Commission for a term expiring April 30, 2001, vice Joan D. Aikens, term expired.

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released September 23

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry

Transcript of a press briefing by NSC Senior Director for Defense Policy and Arms Control Robert Bell and NSC Senior Director for Global Issues and Multilateral Affairs Dick Clark on the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty.

Fact sheet entitled Arms Control and Non-proliferation: The Clinton Administration Record

Fact sheet entitled Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty: Chronology During the Clinton Administration

Fact sheet entitled Defense Drawdowns To Aid Foreign Anti-Drug Programs

Released September 24

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Press Secretary for National Security Affairs David Johnson on the President's meeting with U.N. Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali

Fact sheet entitled Clinton Administration Counter-Terrorism, International Anti-Crime, Counternarcotics, Arms Control and Nonproliferation Initiatives

Fact sheet entitled International Crime: A Record of Accomplishment

Fact sheet entitled Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty

Fact sheet entitled Combating Terrorism: A Record of Accomplishment

Fact sheet entitled Counternarcotics: A Record of Accomplishment

Released September 25

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry and Clinton/Gore '96 Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Released September 26

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry

Transcript of a press briefing by Secretary of Commerce Mickey Kantor; Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers Joe Stiglitz; Office of Management and Budget